

**Resolution awarding a Loan Agreement with the Community Housing Network (CHN) for the CHN Hawthorn Grove project**  
(Economic Development & Planning Department) (\$75,000)

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Title I of the Housing and Community Development Acts of 1974 and 1977, as further amended, Franklin County has applied for and received a HOME grant for affordable housing initiatives; and

**WHEREAS**, the allocation of these HOME funds will assist in funding the construction of forty (40) units of permanent supportive housing for mentally ill individuals at 550 East Rich street; and

**WHEREAS**, by Resolution 567-14 the Franklin County Board of Commissioners adopted the County's 2014 Annual Action Plan to the Department of Housing and Urban Development acknowledging this community development need, fulfilling all requisite citizen participation requirements related to that plan and approving this allocation within; and

**WHEREAS**, the Code of Federal Regulations, Section 570.503, requires that a funding agreement be executed by the grant recipient — the Franklin County Board of Commissioners and the Community Housing Network prior to the disbursement of HOME funds; and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Commissioners, Franklin County, Ohio

That the attached Loan Agreement and purchase order in the amount of \$75,000 between the Franklin County Board of Commissioners and the Community Housing Network for the Hawthorn Grove project will assist in funding the construction of forty (40) units of permanent supportive housing for mentally ill individuals at 550 East Rich for low income County residents is hereby approved.

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